

FORMALITIES LETTER



OC000000005027950

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Patent and Trademark OfficeAddress: COMMISSIONER OF PATENT AND TRADEMARKS
Washington, D.C. 20231

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
09/502,698	02/11/2000	Shin-Ichi Funahashi	06501-056001

Janis K. Fraser
Fish & Richardson P.C.
225 Franklin Street
Boston, MA 02110-2804



Date Mailed: 04/04/2000

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosure contained in this application does not comply with the requirements for such a disclosure as set forth in 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825 for the following reason(s):
 - A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required under 37 CFR 1.821(e).

For questions regarding compliance to these requirements, please contact:

- For Rules Interpretation, call (703) 308-1123
- For CRF Submission Help, call (703) 308-4212
- PatentIn Software Program Support
 - - For Technical Assistance, call (703) 287-0200
 - - To Purchase PatentIn Software, call (703) 306-2600

- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

Customer Service Center
Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

06/08/2000 MHARMOL 00000102 09502698 130.00 DP 01 FC:105

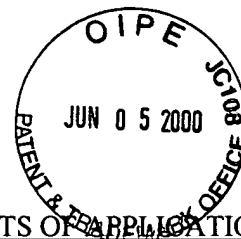
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Shin-ichi Funahashi et al.
Serial No. : 09/502,698
Filed : February 11, 2000
Title : PROTEIN HAVING PDZ DOMAIN SEQUENCE

Art Unit : Unknown
Examiner : Unknown

BOX MISSING PARTS

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR §1.53(b) mailed April 4, 2000 (a copy of which is enclosed), applicant as a large entity submits herewith the following:

- ☒ A check in the total amount of \$130 for Payment of the surcharge for late filing of the declaration.
- ☒ A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 CFR §1.63; and
- ☒ Other: Response to Notice to Comply with Sequence Listing Rules.

It is understood that this perfects the application and no additional papers or filing fees are required. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 6-1-00

John T. Li
John T. Li
Reg. No. 44,210

Fish & Richardson P.C.
225 Franklin Street
Boston, MA 02110-2804
Telephone: (617) 542-5070
Facsimile: (617) 542-8906

20051049.doc

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

I hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

June 1, 2000

Date of Deposit

Jeanine Mecherkany
Signature

Jeanine Mecherkany

Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate